IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Thomas Daley et al.

Application No. : 10/766,965 Confirmation No.: 4387

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For : SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR AVOIDING

TRANSACTION COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH

TRADING ORDERS

Group Art Unit : 3696

Examiner : Gerald C. Vizvary

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NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES & PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the last decision of the examiner.

The fee for this Notice of Appeal is \$540.00 (37 CFR 41.20(b)(1)). The Commissioner for Patents is hereby authorized to charge \$540.00 for this Notice of Appeal along with any other fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-3938.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicants hereby petition for a three-month extension of time to respond to the Final Office Action mailed November 21, 2008. With

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the extension, the time for replying is extended up to and including May 21, 2009. The Commissioner for Patents is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 50-3938

in the amount of \$1,110.00 in connection with the petition for extension of time and to charge any deficiencies or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-3938.

Respectfully submitted,

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